

**AND EVERYTHING FOR THE VICTORY**

**The Republican Party in Pennsylvania—Meeting of the Stalwart State Committee—The Four Propositions to be Presented to the Independents for Acceptance.**

PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 12.—The Republican State Central Committee met this morning, nearly 100 members being present, constituting an almost full attendance.

Chairman Cooper on calling the committee to order, explained that the call for a committee meeting was made under a resolution adopted at Harrisburg, June 21, which stipulated the State Committee should use all honorable means to the end that harmony might be restored in the party. A proposition suggesting that both the Stalwart and Independent tickets be withdrawn was submitted on

half of the Young Men's Republican club, it was suggested that before the committee discuss any proposition it would be well that the candidates on the regular ticket be present.

Soon the candidates, headed by Gen. Warner, entered the hall, where they were warmly greeted. It is understood several propositions looking to harmonizing the existing troubles in the party were submitted among them, one by Chairman Cooper, which sets forth that the vote of the members of the Republican party shall be taken at the primaries to decide either regular or independent nominations meet the approval of the party.

Another proposition was for an optional

convention, under rules recently adopted, to decide the nominees of which party are to be the candidates of the whole State for the next year.

When the Committee appointed to inquire into the presence of the candidates arrived at the meeting, these gentlemen, they presented a list signed by all of those occupying the seats of the ticket, and they stated that the candidates would gladly place themselves in the hands of the State Convention; that they would submit their names to the Convention, and that they would, and he was willing to retire from the ticket, if such course was necessary.

Judge Pettis, of Crawford, then submitted a resolution for propositions which were to be placed before the Convention for their consideration and acceptance or rejection.

That both tickets be submitted to popular vote of the Republican party at primaries.

Second—That the Republican party at primaries select a ticket by popular vote; and that the open ticket be submitted to the Republican voters on the same basis as the Republican voters on the basis of the present tickets or not.

Third—That a new convention, under the rules adopted by the Continental Hotel and the University of Maryland, and the Independent, be held on the following day, August 10th, at the same place, and on the same terms, the rules to govern said convention, to be prepared by ex-Chief Justice Agnew, and Messrs. J. L. Carson and Francis R. Keever.

Fourth—That a new convention is not to be held later than the fourth Wednesday in August.

It was decided that the Chairman of the Finance Committee be empowered to present to the convention four propositions to the Independent, any one of which was acceptable to the Regulars. The committee then appointed a Finance Committee and Exchequer, and authorized them to carry on the campaign.

Adjourned.

The Independent Republican candidates for the Legislature, and the other officers, were met at the residence of Col. Wm. McMillen, at 10 o'clock, by the candidates for Congressmen-at-Large.

It was learned, to-day that last night at

the same place Senator Stewart, for Governor, proposed that the candidates on both tickets should withdraw and should be ineligible for nomination by a new Convention constituted in accordance with the Independent rules. His proposition did not carry with it, and it was concluded that the new ticket should be run on an Independent ticket. To-night the feeling among the Independent leaders appears to be the same. They say no proposition will satisfy them which would not entail the renomination of the Cameron ticket.

The conference after four hours' session adjourned without arriving at any definite conclusion, concerning the propositions submitted by the Republican State Committee.

**Guards Against Yellow Fever.**

MEMPHIS, TENN., July 12.—The failure of Congress to make sufficient appropriations to continue the inspection service of the National Board of Health and the orders that came from Washington to close all such inspections in the Mississippi Valley on the 15th inst., has had the effect here to cause the local authorities to take prompt action. A meeting of the Legislative Council was called to consider the propriety of continuing the service here and at New Orleans. It will be necessary to have an agent at New Orleans in New Orleans in order that the authorities here may have

**Strike of the Freight Handlers.**—New York, July 11.—The condition of strike in this city is apparently unaltered. The work at the various piers is being done, not as well as formerly and at considerable expense. The firm action of the railroads is the only factor that has

road companies and the recent action of the Attorney General in the matter of the application for a mandamus against the railroads have had a depressing effect on the strikers. The members of the Police Steamboat Squad stationed at the wharves, many of whom have been on duty the same place for years, seem to think that the strike will end. In the defeat of the strikers they are personally acquainted with most of the strikers and know that many of them and their families are suffering severely on account of not being at work.

**Smith Sunday Law a Failure.**  
CINCINNATI, O., July 12.—Prosecuting  
Attorney Caldwell of the Police Court, to-  
day recommended the dismissal of all  
cases pending on and before June 25, for  
violation of what is known as the Smith  
law, namely, keeping saloons open on  
Sundays for the sale of intoxicating bever-  
ages. The cases were accordingly dismissa-  
ed. They number several hundred. The  
Prosecutor attacked the

**Virginia Democrats.**  
RICHMOND, Va., July 12—The Democratic State Committee was in session all day, discussing the political situation and making preparation for the coming fall elections.

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